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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action mailed November 16, 2005, the time for reply having been duly extended until May 16, 2006, please amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.